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The Three Hills Swimming Pool had a very successful gala meet on Monday September 2nd. Eleven of the Carbon junior swimmers entered in the swimming and diving competitions. Those making the trip were: the Misses Frances Kaughman, Beverley Gieck, Lorna Steeves, Jane Roberts, Stephanie Roberts and Randall Gieck, Jimmie Steeves, Bob Permann, Don Poole, Kenny Steeves and Carter Schacher. The preliminary events were held in the morning at 9:30 a.m. and the first nine swimmers mentioned above qualified for the semi-finals. Frances Kaughman won the Ladies 50 yds. free style and the Ladies 50 yards backstroke. Lorna Steeves won the Ladies Diving and Jane Roberts was second in the Ladies Diving and she also took third prize in the Ladies backstroke swim. These events were open to swimmers and divers from Three Hills, Acme, Swalwell, Trochu, Carbon and the surrounding country. As the Three Hills swimmers had the benefit of two instructors

this summer, credit must be given to Mr. Harry Hunt who in addition to his duties as caretaker of the Carbon Swimming Pool, was the instructor, coach and trainer of the Carbon contingent of swimmers. All of the Carbon swimmers reported a very enjoyable visit and hope to enter again next year in the Three Hills Swim, which will be an annual event. The gold, silver and bronze trophies will be presented to the winners on the 8th at Three Hills.

About two years ago we had a report that Mr. Claude Cressman, (at one time proprietor of the Carbon Auto Service) had died in Seattle. We are pleased to find that this report was entirely erroneous. Claude Cressman visited Carbon on Thursday August 29th and those who shook hands with him said he felt quite solid and quite unlike a ghost—indeed there was nothing spiritual about him. When told of his death, he said he thought the report was greatly exaggerated, and that with funeral expenses so high, he intended to postpone wearing "dem golden slippers" as long as possible.

Following is the staff of the

Carbon School for the present term:

Principal.....John A. Heyard
Vice-Principal Art Middlestadt
High School Asst. Bern Fossen
Grades 7 and 8.....Mrs. Litke
Grades 6, 7.....Tom Hansen
Grade 5.....Mrs. M. Muner
Grade 4.....Mrs. M. Barnes
Grades 2 and 3.....Mrs. Ponech
Grades 1 and 2.....Miss Black
Bus Drivers: Doug Prowse, Albert Bramley, Don Pattison, Otto Martin.

Listed among winners of the Royal Conservatory's Silver Medal, awarded for outstanding marks in the recent music examinations throughout the province of Alberta's Marilyn S. Martin of Carbon. A piano student, her teacher is Mrs. F. G. Engbaum of Drumheller.

Mr. and Mrs. Stan Torrance spent the holiday weekend at the home of their daughters and sons-in-law at Red Deer and Lacombe.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Stoen and Dale of Calgary were recent visitors at the home of their daughter and son-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Wray Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sherring, Dick Garrett Jr. and Mr. and

Mrs. Sam Garrett and Wayne were all weekend visitors at Banff.

Leo Halstead has been a patient in Three Hills hospital as a result of being burned suffered when friction from a combine belt ignited gasoline on his clothing.

Hospital patients this week are Mrs. Matt Kary, Drumheller, Mrs. G. C. McCracken in Three Hills hospital.

We are most pleased at the progress made by our young swimmers recently and they are to be highly congratulated on their recent achievements.

Beverley, Lorna, Jane, Frances and their medals, trophies, etc. will be on display in the near future in Mr. Braisher's window. Come on, boys and girls, let us go all out next season. Harry Hunt and Parents.

The Home and School held their first meeting on Thurs. Sept. 5th with the new Pres. Mrs. Grace Gieck in the chair. The meeting opened in the usual manner. The teachers were then introduced by Principal Mr. Jack Appleyard. Business was then continued. Program followed with a round table discussion of topics of all concerned, teachers, pupils and

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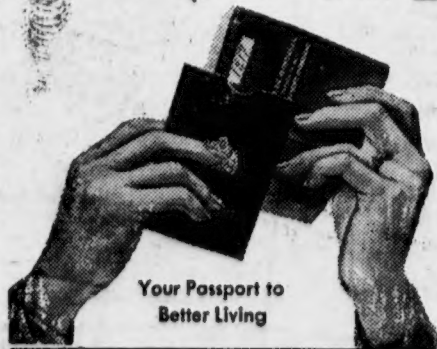


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Another fire was reported at the same time south of Admiral. Although details are not available it is understood to have been an exceptionally large one, and to have caused a great deal of damage to pasture land and crops.

Several prairie fires caused considerable damage in nearby districts this past week. Several hundred firefighters from this and surrounding communities were called out to combat the blazes, all of which are reported to have been started by lightning storms.

Last Wednesday, July 24, the local fire department was called to the farm of Don Hammond north of Aneroid, to assist in quelling a fire which burned out 10 acres of pasture and some standing wheat crop. The fire started when lightning struck a fence post, setting it ablaze.—The News Magnet, Aneroid, Sask., Aug. 1, 1957.

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NEIGHBORLY NEWS

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PREPARED BY C. F. GREENE

AUGUST 11, 1957
Good morning, neighbors:

During World War One, we used to sing a little ditty entitled, "Old Soldiers Never Die." That old soldiers are still alert enough to score bulls' eyes, is demonstrated in a photo taken by the Edmonton Journal and reproduced in the Leduc Representative, Alberta—showing eleven veterans of the South African war who met in a rifle competition at the Winterburn range the other day. The veterans are Alfred Abbott, Joshua Paul, Fred Bard, James McGowan, Col. F. C. Jamieson, Mord McKinley, Fred Haswell, Robert Johnson, Arthur Wensley, Alex Semple and Charles Reynar of Leduc.

Let us hope that no one takes a rifle shot at this bird mentioned in the Plumas Standard, Man. "Blackie" is the given name of a tame crow that has its headquarters at the priest's residence of St. Therese Church in Plumas. Blackie is a friendly, well brought up bird to which Rev. V. Lyczko has become quite attached. It would be the cause of sincere regret if tragedy should befall Blackie during the absence of the good Father while on holidays.

Speaking of holidays, we learn from the Carillon News of Steinbach, Man., that after 30 years as postmaster at Sprague, J. W. Mann plans to go on his first vacation in all that time this summer.

Also leaving for a holiday or a visit is A. L. Marquardt of the Lakeside Canyon district, Alberta, who, according to the Lacombe Globe, left the other day for Storm Lake, Iowa, where he will visit his brother, whom he hasn't seen for 60 years.

And for 75 years, here are two people who have never missed attending a certain fair. The Transcona News, Man., reports that Mrs. Margaret Aiken, aged 97, and her son, Ed Milne, of Dugald attended the Springfield Agricultural Society's first fair 75 years ago and neither one has missed a fair day since.

Well, it has been very hot weather for Fairs this year, but—as Ken McCabe, writing in the Indian Head News, Sask., comments: Despite the heat Thursday, Indians of the Assiniboine Reserve, south of Sintaluta, staged a "Grand Indian Celebration and Pow Wow," complete with war dances, scalp dances, grass dances and a dancing contest. I don't believe they did a rain dance, but it so happens we have had the odd nice shower since.

Reverting to the holiday theme, the Neepawa Press, Manitoba, states: Some editors will take a chance on anything. One of them, the other day, invited his readers to give their ideas on "How can one discourage uninvited summer-cottage guests." As might have been expected, the replies brought out all that is worst in human nature. One reluctant hostess, for instance, put forth this idea: "Put a few ants in the salad. If they say anything (that is, the guests, not the ants) just tell them that you're sorry, but you never wear your glasses at the cottage." Somewhat cruder is the plan of another vacationing housewife: "If you know they are coming, you can always put a quarantine sign on the door of the cottage that says 'Smallpox.'"

Here's a Manitoba neighbor who did not have smallpox—but he had to go to hospital. The Rapid City Reporter uses rather odd phraseology in its report that—Wayne Phillips of the Cardale district, had the misfortune of being overtaken by a dog on Friday night and is hospitalized for a few days.

Also going to hospital as the result of an encounter with an animal was Guy Fillion of St. Pierre, Manitoba, who at the local fair, was severely bitten by a large boar while helping to back the animal through a narrow alleyway between pens. Mr. Fillion's injury kept him in hospital for four days.

A very young lady in the Rockglen district, Sask., doesn't fuss about accidents. According to the Assiniboia Times—Lorna Johnson, six-year-old daughter of C. Johnson, who fell off a load of hay

bales last week and broke her wrist, seems unconcerned by having to wear a cast: Lorna is collecting autographs on it.

On the subject of writing—the Dauphin Herald, Man., prints this rather old news item. A yard-long, four-inch board with writing on it dating back to 1907 was brought in from the dake by Howard Derrick. It had come from a pile of rubble left from remodeling a beach cottage. The building has been owned by a succession of Dauphin residents, but it is said to be the original Gunne cottage. The writing had evidently been whitewashed or painted, while the board was part of a wall, and then in later remodeling, was turned inside when the board was used again. This preserved the pencil mark. Careful scraping and use of a magnifying glass helped decipher the following: "Dauphin, September 8, 1907. Red Jim Malcolm and Black Jim Malcolm camped here duck shooting, got 472." Underneath is what was first thought to be a signature, but looks more like, "that's a lie."

"Hot—you said it," comments a writer in the Brooks Bulletin, Alberta, going on to state: It must be really hot jockeying a tractor around the fields this summer. Mike Smolanski of Idessleigh has taken to working at nights . . . says it's easier on the tractor too.

Apparently, what looked to be an untruth, turns out to be correct—according to this fish story in the Consort Enterprise, Alberta. Two weeks ago, George Kropinski travelled to Moose Lake to fish, and was told when he arrived there that the fish probably wouldn't bite as they were teething. Mr. Kropinski had heard before that jackfish lose their teeth in summer and grow new ones in the fall, but he decided to find out for himself. The first thing he found out was that the fish were definitely not biting good, but after some effort he caught about 20, and when he examined their mouths, found the teeth were all gone and the gums looked swollen and inflamed. So it is quite apparent that the jackfish do lose their teeth in summer and grow new ones in the fall. Who knows, maybe a teething-ring would make wonderful bait.

Long past the teething-ring stage are these good neighbors

celebrating birthday anniversaries in the gay-ninety class. William Henry of High River, Alberta, 90—Mrs. A. H. Scollan of Calmar, Alberta, 91—Mrs. Mary Kluzak of Climax, Sask., also 91—Mrs. Emily Olorenshaw, formerly of Dundurn, Sask., now living in Saskatoon, 92 yesterday—Harry Smith of Speers, Sask., 93—Mrs. Margaret Peacock of Boissevain, Manitoba, 94 last Thursday—Mrs. R. M. Robb of Russell, Man., 97—and with the most birthday cake candles to blow out, Nicholas Obey of Drumheller, Alberta, 99 last Sunday.

When referring to anniversaries, the Miniota Herald, Man., goes in for double-headers. It states: "Whilst this item is belated, as the Editor was not informed until the paper was off the press last week, we cannot let the fact go unnoticed that our good friend, James Elliott, of Arrow River celebrated his 96th birthday on July 23rd. Congratulations, Jim, and to your good wife, on the occasion of entering the 62nd year of your married life."

For you good neighbors—here's a church story told by the Dauphin Herald, Manitoba. A clergyman once remarked to his congregation that every blade of grass was a sermon. A few days later he was busy mowing his lawn when a member of his church passed by and paused to remark, "I see you're cutting your sermons short!"

Happy memories of a certain visit to a church will come to these good neighbors celebrating note-worthy wedding anniversaries. Mr. and Mrs. D. D. P. Epp, formerly of Laird, Sask., now living in Clearbrook, B.C., their 60th—Mr. and Mrs. Arne Nabseth of Watson, Sask., their 60th—Mr. and Mrs. Martin Wagner of Rockglen, Sask., their 60th—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Javer of Delburne, Alberta, their 63rd—and Mr. and Mrs. J. Dewsbury of Victoria, B.C., their 65th wedding anniversary. Mr. Dewsbury was postmaster at Michichi, Alberta for 32 years.

As we have often remarked, helping out a neighbor and community co-operation meant a great deal to old-timers like those we have just mentioned. These two virtues are still with us. For example, the Kindersley Clarion, Sask., reports that Stan Cooke

Viriden Flying Club promotes interest in aviation here

Viriden Flying Club promotes interest in aviation here and points up the pleasures and safety of modern flying. The club provides facilities for people to learn to fly through a Government-approved course and to become full fledged pilots.

Club president is John Higginbotham. Orville Fowler is vice-president. Secretary is Reg Hales and treasurer is Howard Stockton. Members of the executive are Alvin Sararas, Bert Burnett and Gurth Whitaker. —The Empire-Advance, Viriden, Man.—July 17, 1957.

The koodoo is one of the largest and most numerous of African antelopes.

had several men over helping him pour cement for his basement last Tuesday. On Wednesday the same group of men moved over to help Jack McMurray finish tearing down the buildings that the wind had wrecked.

And the Pincher Creek Echo, Alberta, states that the Cowley community hall received the best spring cleaning of its long and varied life the other day, when the Ladies' Aid members of Cowley United church went to work with mops and brushes and pails. As one passer-by exclaimed in wonderment, "They even cleaned the outside of the windows!"

RED CROSS WATER SAFETY

I SAW IN THE PAPER WHERE A FELLOW DROWNED IN A DUG OUT RECENTLY



SAFETY SAM SAYS:

THE ONLY SAFE WAY TO SWIM IN A DUGOUT IS AT THE END OF A ROPE HELD BY A BUDDY—DON'T TAKE CHANCES AND SWIM ALONE!

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BOILED SALAD DRESSING

3 tablespoons BENSON'S or CANADA Corn Starch
1 tablespoon sugar
2 teaspoons dry mustard
2 teaspoons salt
1/2 teaspoon pepper
1/2 teaspoon paprika (optional)
1 1/4 cups milk
1 egg, beaten
1/4 cup vinegar
1/3 cup MAZOLA Salad Oil

COMBINE BENSON'S or CANADA Corn Starch, sugar and seasonings in saucepan with a small amount of milk to make a smooth paste.

ADD remaining milk, mixing well.

COOK over low heat, stirring constantly, until mixture thickens and boils.

COOK 2 minutes, stirring constantly.

REMOVE from heat; gradually add to beaten egg.

RETURN to heat; cook 2 minutes, stirring constantly.

REMOVE from heat; gradually beat in vinegar using rotary beater.

ADD MAZOLA Salad Oil, beating until smooth; cool.

YIELD: 2 cups.

NOTE: Beat slowly with rotary beater until smooth and creamy before serving.



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(The Bulletin, Brooks, Alta., July 11, 1957)



1957 4-H Show and sale entries.

Nigger John, Rosemary Clubs take top honors at annual 4-H Calf Show

For the third year in succession Nigger John Beef Club won top honors at the annual district 4-H Calf Club Show when a Polled Hereford entered by Fulton Beck of Duchess was named Grand Champion. Reserve Champion was a Hereford calf entered by Gordon Payne of the Rosemary 4-H Club.

The Alberta Livestock co-operative of Calgary paid 37½ cents a pound for the champion and implement dealer Ken Sinclair of Tilley bought the Reserve Champion for 27½ cents. There was a total of 173 calves entered in the show last Friday; on Saturday entries for the sale totalled 165 which grossed \$26,467.93, for an average of \$160.41. Brooks Auctioneer Hank Charlton donated his

services for the sale and was assisted by Henry Dombrowski of Lomond.

Grand champion winner Fulton Beck was awarded the Wells Trophy and miniature from Wells Ranching and the Grand Hereford Trophy from the Hereford Association; Reserve Champion winner Gordon Payne also wins a Wells Trophy and miniature and an engraved leather pocketbook from the Hereford Association.

Top Aberdeen Angus of the Show went to Judy Root of Lomond who wins the Matthews Trophy and the Angus Shield and cup.

The Royal Bank Silver Tray for Top Showman went to Annie Stringam of Rosemary. Miss

Stringam won the Reserve Championship of the show in 1956.

Best Fitted Calf award, a show halter donated by Brooks Pharmacy, went to Fulton Beck of Duchess.

Highest standing in the judging went to Don Harder of Rosemary, who won the Bev Nelson's Men's Wear Stetson.

The Calgary Power Trophy was awarded to Bassano for being the Best Appearing Club.

Many Juniors

Forty-eight calves were entered in the Junior Division which prompted Judge Charles Yule to remark that it was "an exceptional showing for Pee-wee class," and commented further that the quality and appearance of calves in this class were "very good".

Grand Champion of the Juniors was Billy Thompson of Lomond, who was presented with a Roman Copper Tray from the Bank of Nova Scotia. Linda Beck of the Nigger John Juniors took the Reserve Championship and was presented with a Stockman's Knife from Brooks Electric Hatchery.

Each entrant in the Junior Class received a one dollar bill jointly from Pheasant Sales Ltd. and sponsors of the show and sale.

Top Junior Showman was Marilyn Lund of Rosemary, who was awarded \$5 by Ogilvie Miracle Feeds. Second was Lumet Luzenga of Bassano who received \$2 from the same firm.

Open class

Larry Steeves of Lomond took Grand Championship in the Open Class with Don Fraser of Bassano winning the Reserve Championship.



CHARLES YULE—Veteran cattleman and judge at the 4-H Show. Mr. Yule has been judging cattle for 53 years.

A very shy young man sat next to a glamorous debutante at a dinner party. In the middle of the main course he seized a bowl of succotash and poured it over the debutante's chic coiffure. The young lady rose indignantly. "How dare you?" she blazed, plucking corn and peas out of her hair. "How dare you throw succotash at me?" The young man blanched. "Good heavens," he stammered. "Was that succotash? I thought it was spinach!"

Cantaloupe melons are named from Cantaloupe, Italy, where the melons were first grown in Europe.

TALLEST KNOWN

About 80 percent of all successful authors have had newspaper experience and training.

Ostriches grow a new crop of feathers every nine months.

The first patent issued in the U.S. was to John Ruggles, a U.S. senator from Maine, for a locomotive invention.

Waterfowl migration is at its height in November.

(The Bulletin, Brooks, Alta., July 11, 1957)



Rolling Hills Champion—E. Engels



South Slope Champion—Dwayne Swanson



Mrs. Chas. Yule presents Grand Champion Ribbon



Top Showman Award—Anne Stringam, Rosemary Royal Bank of Canada Manager Ted Teetzel presents tray.



Top Angus of the Show—Judy Root, Lomond Receiving award from Dave Stelfox, 4-H official.



Bassano Champion—Hugh Bodmer (Berna Block entry)



Tilley Champion—William Ruckman



Lomond Champion—Judy Root

Canadian Weekly Features

Heads east across prairies

Paralleling the main line, the Trans-Canada Pipe Lines natural gas line from Alberta to eastern Canada is being laid at an almost staggering pace. Fine weather and good teamwork are combining to push the pipeline to the east at some two miles each day.

Two sections of the line, called "spreads", are being built in this region, and are of much interest and importance to local people. Mannix Limited are building from Pense to Deveron, and Williams Bros. from Deveron to the Manitoba border. This issue of the Mainline Regional News contains pictures and articles concerning the operations of Williams Bros., who have been working out of a base camp at Grenfell for the past 10 months.

By far the largest operation ever conducted in this area, since the laying of C.P.R. steel in 1882, the Williams Bros. project has been managed by James G. Jester, who hails from Georgia, U.S.A. Superintendent of the entire work is T. E. Davis, with M. O. Thompson as assistant superintendent.

Some idea of the scope of Williams Bros. task can be gained from a glance at the list of machinery on hand, which includes, in part: 21 three-quarter ton pickups, seven buses, 10 heavy flat-deck trucks, four pipe-laying trucks, fuel truck, office trailers, 35 "cat" tractors, six backhoes, three ditching machines, 25 welding machines and miscellaneous smaller pieces such as 3, 4 and 6-inch pumps for draining low spots.

Work commenced last fall on clearing the right of way. During the winter, hauling crews were at work stringing pipe which had been shipped in by train loads to points along the line. Car loads of paint and protective "dope" for the pipe were unloaded and distributed along the right of way. In the spring welders arrived to double-joint the pipe — welding two sections together for the full length of the spread in order that the final operations could be conducted more quickly.

With frost out of the ground the operation swung into full production. Huge ditching machines began chewing a six-foot ditch across the prairie—welders tied the double sections of pipe together — monstrous "cats" with slide booms lifted and lowered the pipe—an ingenious travelling machine coated and wrapped the pipe—the clean-up crew filled in the trench and levelled the right of way.

Some 360 men are now employed on the Williams Bros. spread, enjoying a weekly payroll of \$60,000. About 80 of these employees are "stateside" Americans, specialists who have previously worked with the company, while the remainder are local men trained on the job. — The Independent, Windthorst, Sask.—July 23, 1957.

Ontario Rural Hydro starts building area office

Sinclair Supply Co., Ltd., of Vanklee Hill, have been given the contract for the erection of the Rural Hydro Area Office and Warehousing on Queen St.

The contract price allowed is over \$50,000 as the Review was able to learn last evening.

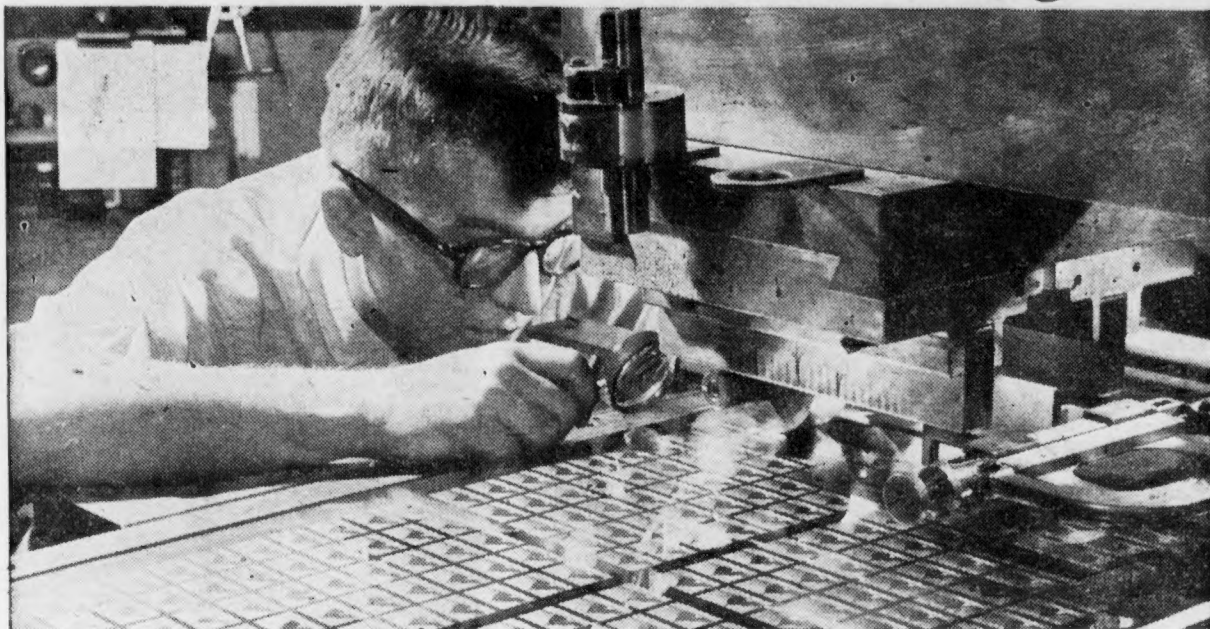
The building is supposed to be completed and occupied in late fall.

This firm has already built three residences in Vanklee Hill. They have lots purchased to build several more homes.

MUSICAL SANDS

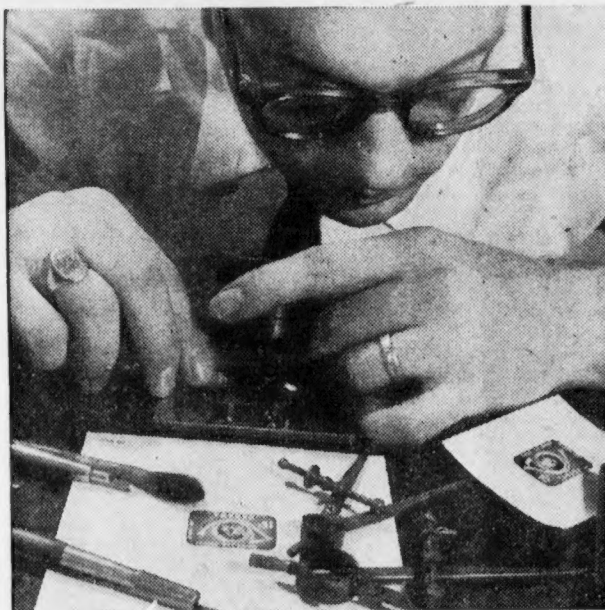
Musical sands cover a beach near the small port of Oqair on the Persian Gulf coast of Saudi Arabia. The sands just above high-water mark make a whistling sound at every footstep.

World's Postmen Gather Canada Host to XIVth Congress



While the origins of postal service go back to the early empires of the far east, the history of global postal agreements dates back only to 1874 when the Universal Postal Union first met at Berne, Switzerland. Canada, who this year is host to the 14th congress of the UPU,

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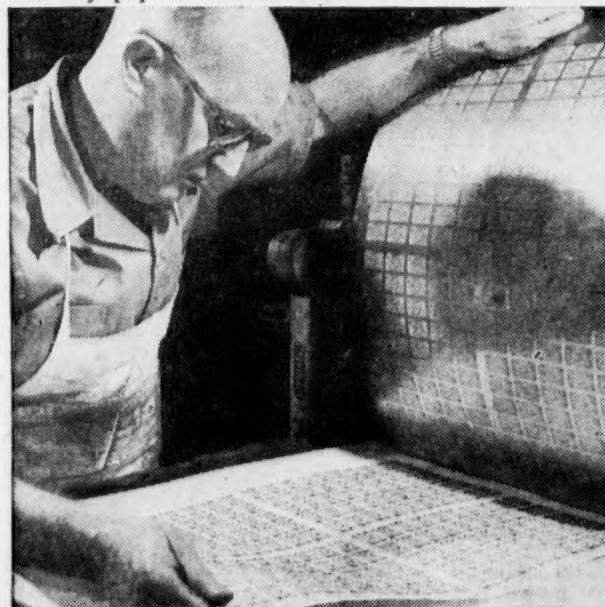


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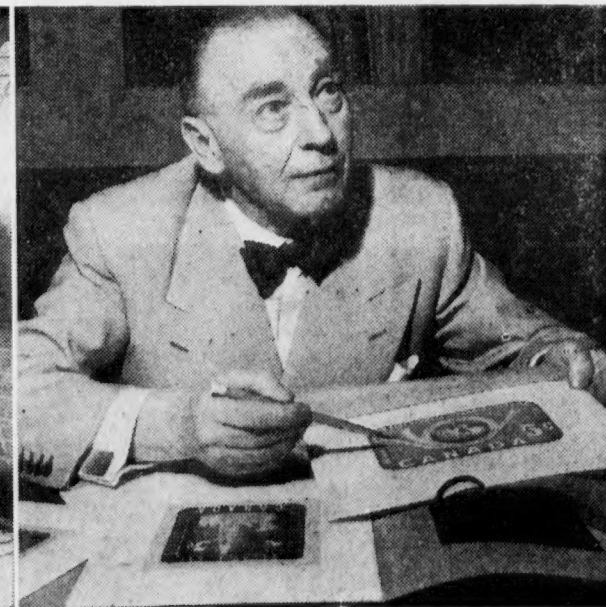


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Swiss-born Karl Mangold, who received his early art training in Zurich, was chosen to design the stamps celebrating the 14th Congress of the UPU. Mr. Mangold has lived in Canada since 1928.



Music in the Sturgis Unit

EDITORS NOTE: The Sturgis School Unit No. 45 has organized an approach to music participation by school pupils that is unprecedented in the Province. Mr. B. Hafsteinn, their Director of Bands, explains in this article the Sturgis Unit approach to this aspect of education, and the particulars of the organization with the Unit. Other articles will follow weekly.

The Sturgis School Unit has a band of some 160 instrumentalists that gives full-fledged concerts. These have brought considerable recognition to the Unit and the entire community. There are also, within the Unit, many training and performing instrumentalists.

The purposes of the program are:

1. To make musical training in the classroom, band, orchestra and choral fields available to everyone within the bounds of the Unit.
2. To stimulate and aid musical activity throughout the Unit.
3. To foster a spirit of co-operation between individuals as well as communities through joint participation in these efforts.
4. To aid music education in general by co-operation with classroom activities when required.
5. To open the doors for all to one of the greatest of the arts in the sure knowledge that it will be of lasting benefit.

Our general pattern of administration functions at three levels: Local Associations, Unit Board, and Central Board.

Local Associations—We endeavor to establish music instruction centres in five or six of the most accessible points within the Unit and to have in each centre a band, local bandmaster, and a local music association. The association has the usual officers and not less than three additional directors.

The function of this group is to collect fees, raise funds, and give such assistance as is normally required in the formation and operation of a band, choral or string group. One of the early functions of this group is to find a way to acquire the necessary instruments.

The Unit Board—This is the policy making body, with whom lies the decision as to whether or not it is in the best general interests to assist the development of music within the Unit.

Assuming the answer is in the affirmative the Unit makes decisions regarding the amount of assistance and choice of a music director. Before May 25 of each year the Board, with all members present, should meet and pool their information and views on the merits of the music program in the Unit.

The Board's decision to continue or discontinue the program should then be relayed to the director through the Unit Representative on the Central Board. In fact, any representation from the Unit Board to the Music Director should be made through this representative.

For a final evaluation of the progress the board would be wise to rely on the advice of the Provincial Supervisor of Music.

Central Board—This board has the same administrative design as the local association. Its membership consists of two representatives from each local and one representative from the Unit Board as well as the Superintendent of Schools. It is also understood that the Unit Board chairman may attend Central Board meetings as a representative of the Unit Board if he so wishes.

It is the function of this group to make decisions affecting general policy such as standardization of band uniforms, and mutual problems of financing and fund raising. In addition the Central Board should have the same relationship to the Unit Band as the local association has to the local bands.

This Central Board can lay the plans for band camps, band concerts, music meets, and other activities.

Choice of a Music Director—There are numerous duties involved in the setting up and operation of a musical training scheme of such magnitude as that of the Sturgis Unit. The director must have proven professional qualifications and the ability to handle groups of young people. This movement must rely on results, not theories, for its continuance. I do not say that a music director should not have academic standing but that this consideration should be secondary to the ability to produce desired results. Decision in this regard can only be made by the Provincial Supervisor of Music.

The Unit Band—Membership in the Senior Band is drawn from other bands throughout the Unit. Musical ability is of prime importance, but by no means the sole requirement. The senior band member must be one who readily accepts discipline in its many ramifications. Behaviour outside the band and academic records are also factors. Attitude, ability to practice consistently, smartness in drill, courtesy and many other things must also be considered.

Purpose and Duties of the Unit Band—As in other branches of education we are faced at times with the problem of providing the more apt pupil with interesting material. To limit the performance of such students by forcing them to remain at the same level as the less gifted is grossly unfair. Similarly to subject the average student to work which is obviously beyond his normal stage of development, is equally unfair. It has been found expedient to form one band designed to meet the needs and interests of the student whose ability sets him apart from his fellows. The duties of this group are to be available as a complete unit for performance as such functions as are designated by the Central Board; to demonstrate at all times the indirect as well as the direct benefits of

(The Dufferin Leader, Carman, Man.—July 16, 1957)



THEY LED THE 4-H PARADE—The Carman Band, long known as one of the finest musical groups of its kind in the province, provided music for the thousands who attended the three-day Carman Fair. With bandmaster Reid Cochran in charge the band is shown here leading the monster 4-H day parade Thursday evening.

—Dufferin Leader photo.

their training; and to become acquainted with as many selections as possible rather than to drill endlessly on any particular one.

Instruments—It is not a good policy to have instruments such as clarinets, saxes, trumpets and trombones under public ownership. The other instruments such as basses, baritones and alto horns must be provided by the local associations. Many of the latter are needed and no opportunity to acquire them should be overlooked. Otherwise the band has a tendency to be composed entirely of trumpets and clarinets. The privately owned instruments can be supplied at cost by the Unit if there is no dealer in the area.

Choral and Primary Concert Orchestras—The choral work in the schools should follow the pattern set in the authorized reference book, Music Manual for the Classroom Teacher. In addition there is no reason why demonstration choral groups cannot follow the same administrative plan as the bands.

One of the main attractions for the student of brass, reed or percussion instruments is that he will be able to join others in a band. However, one of the difficulties facing the teacher of violin and his pupil is that there is rarely any organized group in which stringed instruments are used. There is no reason why any groups could not be formed using brass, reeds and strings. This stimulus to the development of string players could conceivably lead to the ultimate goal, a symphony.

The initial problem of bringing violin students to a reasonable degree of proficiency is solved through the "Musical Fun" methods. "Fun with the Strings" is probably the finest of the outstanding group of books prepared by Mr. Rj Staples, Saskatchewan's Supervisor of School Music.

One of the most difficult phases for the band instructor, as well as the pupil, is the period between the time the youngster begins his studies on an instrument until the time he is ready to play with a beginner's group. If the available classroom instruction as outlined in school music courses authorized by the Department of Education are carried out, the student will have the gratification of playing in a beginners' group almost immediately. Further this classroom participation, the making of music together, will greatly speed his progress and develop his understanding.

If the classroom music activities as outlined in the authorized Elementary Curriculum Guide I were carried out by the teacher, many of the problems of band development would be solved. For one thing, parents want to be assured that their child is going to be able to play before investing in an instrument. This assurance can be readily given in the case of a youngster that shows reasonable skill on the small-wind instruments such as the flute-phonograph and recorder.

It is doubtful if there are many areas on the continent where the means for classroom instruction in music are more effectively placed at the disposal of the teacher than in Saskatchewan. In spite of this too many teachers still make an inadequate effort to give any real instruction in this subject. Almost invariably the excuse is that they know nothing about music. However, it is surprising what these same teachers can and will do when they are given some help through institutes and workshops and are willing to share with their students an experience in learning.

The Classroom Music Methods—It is absolutely essential to the continued success of this program that the importance of adequate classroom music activity be fully recognized.

There are very few who are aware of the difference between band training and music education and still fewer who realize that it is not uncommon to train youngsters to play certain parts on band instruments without developing in them any appreciable amount of musician-ship or enjoyment of music for its own sake.

For that reason alone the only way to be sure that a band program will continue is to be certain that it is soundly based on the understanding and feeling for music within the pupils themselves.

It is every bit as foolish to let the beginning of a child's musical experience coincide with the beginning of regular instrumental training as to expect the same child to begin his or her regular schooling in grade five. At first glance one might be inclined to question this in view of the number of children who may appear to have successfully begun instrumental lessons without preparation. However, investigation would reveal that these children either had considerable informal contact with music in the home or that they had an unusual natural aptitude for it. Still further scrutiny might reveal the disturbing fact that these children in spite of seemingly successful performance of band parts often fail to recognize the melody of their band arrangement when they hear the same selection played by another group.

There are no doubt a certain number of exceptions, but it must be borne in mind that the purpose of this program is not only to develop or train the exceptional child, but to enable as many children as possible to learn to enjoy music as a part of their life.

Summer adventuring

A dozen university students are spending the summer during voluntary work among the Eskimos at Frobisher Bay in the eastern Arctic. Male students are busy at construction work, painting houses and unloading ships. Girls are cooking and doing clerical work.

The desire of these members of the Student Christian Movement to get to know the Eskimos better by working among them is an indication that the spirit of adventure is still alive in Canada.

They are not the only civilization-dwellers spending all or part of the summer in remote parts of Canada. To mention a few:

The Mines and Technical Surveys Department is sending out 76 survey parties; mainly to Arctic regions to do the field work from which will come 200 new topographical maps, air-navigation maps and charts of coastal and inland waters.

Army engineers, who spend nine months of the year in centrally heated homes while they work at army headquarters in Ottawa are surveying wilderness areas in every province and the territories. They are assisted by vacationing university students and travel by canoe, horse, Shanks' mare or helicopter.

Doctors and x-ray technicians, working from the government supply ship C. D. Howe, are visiting thirty remote Eskimo settlements in the eastern Arctic as far north as Ellesmere Island, administering chest x-rays, inoculations and physical and dental examinations.

Settling for somewhat smaller doses of the out-door life, thousands of holidayers — including families with small children — are leaving the towns and cities for the vast areas of provincial and national parks.

Add to these the city-raised workers now busy on the DEW radar line and manning Mid-Canada line and remote weather stations and it becomes evident the call of the wilderness still beckons to Canadians. — The Progress, Winkler, Man., July 3, 1957.

A passenger in a friend's car was impressed with the courtesy of the chauffeur who was driving him out to Long Island. "I notice you stop to let pedestrians cross the Parkway," approved the passenger. "It's better than hitting them," explained the driver, "because then you gotta fill out endless forms and reports."

Mother: "What was the Sunday School lesson today?"

Child: "About a man called Solomon."

Mother: "And what did you learn about Solomon?"

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Editorials from Canadian Weekly Newspapers

(These are not necessarily the views of the editor of this paper)

Wide lots bring additional toil

(The Mercury, Estevan, Saskatchewan)

The need of practical community planning is now recognized and while rapid progress has been made in setting up policies of a basic nature, the matter is still enough in its infancy to be open to suggestions which might well improve its application in an advantageous manner.

Years ago it was common practice to survey town and city lots with a 25 foot frontage with the result that most people proceeded to buy a single lot and built a house with a 20 foot frontage, allowing a foot or so space on one side and a narrow walk on the other with the neighbors on either side doing the same thing.

Whole blocks thus became almost solid with houses with their inmates of one either looking through their side windows to a blank wall or through the window in the neighbor's house which everyone agreed was not a very desirable or pleasant situation.

It naturally followed that action was taken to prevent that sort of thing and so the regulation arrived forbidding the surveying of any more 25 foot lots in residential areas and establishing a minimum of 50 feet frontage to a lot.

That which has happened since goes to prove that regulation does not always provide a cure. A very similar kind of house crowding has come with the wider lot. Houses 40 feet wide are being built (and they would be built wider fore frequently only that owners leave enough room for a car driveway past their house) to once more bring about an almost solid front facing the street and again in some cases houses just few inches apart.

Maybe the only remedy for this would be to make the lot frontage 75 feet or more. At least the majority of house builders could not afford to put up houses of that length, though it would be safe wagering as many that could finance it would do so. Extension of frontage except to undue length will never in itself entirely remove the crowding of houses.

However, because of the wider lot and the building of houses crosswise instead of lengthwise, the narrow, dark canyons between the old style crowded buildings has been somewhat agreeably reduced.

But with the wider lot a new factor has come up which might well be given attention by community planners.

While frontage has been at least doubled there has been no corresponding reduction in the length of lots though some surveys have shortened the average lot to 100 feet as compared with the former general average of 125 feet.

This means that when the house builder bought a lot with a 25 foot frontage with 125 foot depth he acquired 3125 square feet. Nowadays when he buys a lot with a 50 foot frontage with 100 foot depth he acquires 5000 square feet, or a little better than one-third of an acre.

The average city dweller no longer finds it economically advantageous to turn his backyard into a garden. In fact he has not time to do it properly if the area cultivated is fairly large. The same is even more so true if he attempts to turn it into a beauty spot. This is being proven every day by couples wearing themselves into a continued state of tiredness through attempting to keep their back yard as tidy and neat as their front lawn which meets public view.

In brief the modern 50-foot lot with minimum depth is too large for the average householder to look after properly. In these days of rapidly expanding urban areas this is a matter that could well be given consideration by community planners.

There is not only a wastage of land but an unnecessary cost involved, first in purchase price and then forever in the form of taxation.

A lot of a size that cannot be kept in reasonably good appearance by the average owner involves one of the things which community planning seeks to overcome—the matter of untidiness. When one considers some of the modern surveys—because of curved streets and odd corners—involve lots as large as 60 by 160 it becomes a wonder who will want to buy them, or could afford to buy them unless in a rare high income bracket.

A menace...but we've missed 'em

(The Clarion, Kindersley, Sask., June 13, 1957)

Driving on the outskirts of town the other day, we were listening to a chorus of birds saluting the dawn of another carefree day (or maybe they were complaining about the cost of living). Suddenly we heard a note which, though disturbingly familiar, escaped, for a moment, our attempts to classify it.

We finally identified it as the cry of a gopher and, on searching the prairie, we saw three of them sunning themselves on the tops of the mounds created by their home-building excavations.

We saw one gopher last year and none the year before. Suddenly we realized that we have missed the saucy little rascals.

In this trying time when the farmer's profit margin is steadily narrowing and every impediment to efficient production is a major catastrophe, we can readily understand that our rural readers will find it difficult to sympathize with our sentimental attachment for these grain-hungry rodents. We're sorry, but we just can't help it.

Even when, in childhood and early youth, we engaged in the traditional war on the gophers with traps, rifles, buckets of water and bludgeons, they held a fascination for us that went beyond the primitive urge to exterminate them. The two-cent bounty, in those days could be exchanged for a royal feast of jaw-breakers and licorice cigars but the candy never tasted quite as good as expected. The memory of the gruesome deeds leading to its purchase always lay heavy upon us.

The sight of a gopher always recalls to us thoughts of sunny spring and summer days, pleasant hikes in the country and a happy, carefree time when responsibility was nothing more than a big word we didn't know how to spell. To us he is the symbol of youth and freedom and the joy of living.

Destructive and vermin-ridden menace to health though he may be, the gopher, to us, will always represent part of the prairie's charm. We faced the day with lighter heart, the other morning, because we had seen three of them.

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Dental clinic

(The Leader, St. James, Man.)

The official opening of the dental clinic sponsored by the St. James Kiwanis club took place prior to the regular city council meeting Tuesday evening. The opening of the clinic marked the culmination of nearly ten years of planning by the local Kiwanis club, adding greatly to the long list of the club's activities on behalf of the young people of this community.

The clinic will provide a free dental service for younger children and will be maintained at the joint cost of the Kiwanis club, city council and school board. Since the unofficial opening on February 25th, some 181 youngsters have been through the clinic, a large majority of these having needed dental work performed, said W. W. Bartlett, president of St. James Kiwanis in the official ceremony Tuesday evening. Administration will be handled by a committee consisting of one representative of the Kiwanis; one from the Health Unit and the practising dentists of St. James. A \$4,000 federal grant contributed heavily to the establishment of the clinic, said Mr. Bartlett.

Receiving the gift on behalf of the city, Mayor T. B. Findlay paid tribute to the lasting qualities of the service performed by Kiwanis, "a service club in deed as well as in name." Mayor Findlay cut the ribbon on dental floss to declare the clinic officially open.

The clinic, which is equipped with complete dental facilities including X-ray, will be manned in turn by St. James dentists gratis.

This beneficial service joins with the three Kiwanis wading pools in ensuring the dividends in children's health promised by the citizens' organization which flourished more than twenty years ago to foster the famous Bruce Park wading pool under the name of "Children's Health Unlimited."

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A stiffer attitude?

(The Independent, Windthorst, Sask.)

Predicted by many immediately after the June 10 election results, it would appear that relations between Canada and the U.S. are due for a change. In recent days Prime Minister Diefenbaker has let it be known that he is displeased with the U.S. wheat giveaway program, and determined to divert more trade to the United Kingdom.

While a few would care to see a strained relationship between this country and our southern neighbors, there are several million westerners who want to see more action in the disposal of their own wheat surpluses. In the face of increased world wheat marketings, and a decline in Canada's share of these, it is time we spoke up for ourselves on the international scene.

No one ever lost respect of his friends by protesting against injustices. Mr. Diefenbaker and his new Tory government are to be commended for openly denouncing the U.S. giveaway plan and its ramifications on the markets of the world.

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CAMP'S OVER—It was a hectic week in the sun for Gnr. J. E. Woodward of Kamsack as he trained with the 53rd Field Regiment of the Royal Canadian Artillery at Camp Shilo, Man. He looks a lot browner for it. Here he turns in his sheets and bedding to WO2 N. H. Tunncliffe of Yorkton as the camp closes.

—Canadian Army photo.

(The Enterprise, Selkirk, Man.—July 10, 1957)



BEST ORIGINAL ENTRY IN PARADE—Robert Stevens, as "the old prospector", was awarded a special prize in Saturday's parade as the best original entry.



FIRST PRIZE FLOAT—Winning float in the Saturday morning mile-and-a-half parade was entered by Funk's Furniture of Selkirk.

—Photo by Robinson & Neaves.



IN THE FIELD—Three Stoughton youths pictured above have just watched a platoon of the Queen's Own Rifle Regiment of Calgary demonstrate how the regular army infantry attacks and takes an objective using the old Lee-Enfield rifles, the new FN rifle and Bren guns. Left to right, Pte. George Graham, Cpl. Morris Pickering and Pte. Alan Erfurt of the South Saskatchewan Regiment relax with their smokes before heading back for Shilo, Man., where they attended summer camp with the militia from June 29 to July 6.

—Canadian Army photo.

Concrete poured for first pier on big bridge over Old Man

Work is going on well on the new highway between Taber and Vauxhall, and also on the bridges across the Old Man and Bow Rivers.

About nine miles of road has been built on the south side and five miles on the north, leaving three and a half miles to finish on both north and south. The road, which is forty-two feet wide, has been gravelled for twenty-two miles. Grading is hoped to be finished by August.

The road will be base-coursed next year, and it is hoped that it will be paved and hard surfaced the year after. The road will not be usable until the bridge across the Old Man river is completed.—The Times, Taber, Alta., July 18.

FEDERATION OF MALAYA

The federation of Malaya is composed of two British settlements, Malacca and Penang, and nine states, Johore, Kedah, Kelantan, Negri, Sembilan, Pahang, Perak, Perlis, Selangor and Trengganu.

Self-serve dining cars make debut

Canadian National Railways have now introduced another development to their "meals on wheels" services—self-serve cafeteria cars. At present operating on the Montreal-Toronto and Montreal-Mont Joli lines, the new cars are proving popular with the travelling public, who like the faster service and cheaper prices.

Passengers entering the car are confronted with the familiar "help yourself" lineup of trays, counter and cashier. After picking up their meal the passengers pay the cashier and a busboy is on hand to carry their tray to a table.

Corsets were introduced into France about the time of the revolution.



Bird houses

Thatched bird houses have a certain quaintness about them that seems fitting for a bird's home. We seldom see them any more in this country since small kegs and boxes are no longer used for packing nails, butter and other wares. There are lots of round metal containers available that make attractive bird houses when thatched and painted to look like



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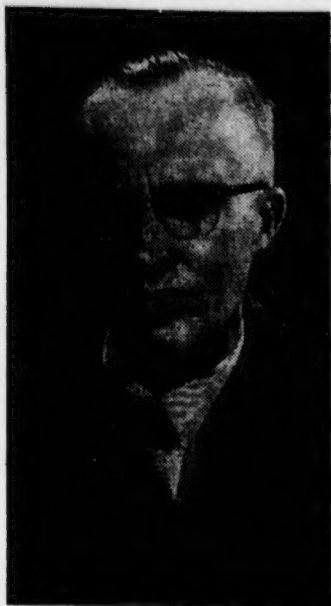
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Premier E. C. Manning has announced the retirement of the Hon. W. W. Cross, Minister of Public Health, and Deputy Premier, and the appointment of Dr. J. Donovan Ross, Edmonton, as Dr. Cross's successor. Dr. Ross is a Social Credit member for Edmonton.

Retirement of the enior member of the Alberta cabinet will become effective about the middle of September. Dr. Cross will retain his Legislative seat representing the Hand Hills constituency until the next general election.

Dr. Ross was born in Waldo, British Columbia in 1911. At the age of 15 he moved with his parents to Edmonton, completing his high school education there. He entered the University of Alberta and was graduated with a degree in Arts and Medicine in 1937. A year later he married the former Lillian Peterson, an RN, whose home was at Luseland, Sask. The Ross's have seven children four boys and three girls.

An Elder of Knox United Church in Edmonton, Dr. Ross was among those instrumental in organizing the Alcoholism Foundation of Alberta and was president since its incorporation in 1953 until this year. He is now chairman of the board. He is also a Chief of Medical Staff at the Misericordia Hospital and a charter member of the College of General Practice.

The new Health Minister was first elected to the Alberta Legislature in 1952.

DEPT. OF PUBLIC HEALTH TO SPEND \$4,150,000 ON BUILDING PROGRAM

New and enlarged facilities are being provided in the current building program of the Dept. of Public Health. Construction represents an investment of about \$4,150,000 on buildings just completed and others on which work is starting in the immediate future.

Some of the twelve new structures in the current program will provide new facilities for the division of Mental Health. They will provide for the complete separation of chronic patients and mental defectives from the patients of active treatment mental hospitals. Others will replace outgrown structures.

The 12 buildings are in addition to the new Reception Wing at the Oliver Mental Institute. Construction of this recently occupied wing was

completed last year. In addition to reception quarters for new patients, this building provides a new dental clinic, a library, a reading room and a nurses' lecture room.

Work will be started in the near future on a new laundry building for the Oliver Mental Institute. The new structure will provide modern laundry services for a hospital population of about 1,800 persons at an investment of about one million dollars.

At the Ponoka Provincial Mental Hospital, a \$150,000 extension to the Nurses' residence is to be built.

Work is being completed on a new \$200,000 infirmary at the Provincial Training School at Red Deer. Hitherto, room for infirmary cases had to be found in other quarters of the school. The new pleasant, well lighted and air conditioned infirmary will have an accommodation for ill patients.

Another new building scheduled for the Red Deer Training School is the Vocational Training Building, to replace the present vocational quarters. The latter are to be altered to provide additional dormitory space. This new \$60,000 structure will provide needed areas for weaving, sewing and knitting and ceramic work. Space for domestic science training with modern kitchen equipment will be provided as will space for a well equipped carpentry shop, painting shop and shoe shop.

A new \$60,000 clinic building is just being completed at the Red Deer Training School. The two storey building includes a nursing office, quarters for medical first aid and minor surgery, a small operating room and a four-bed dormitory for pre and post operative cases, a small laboratory, pharmacy, dental office, x-ray area, waiting room and physiotherapy room. Planned future construction at Red Deer will be a \$50,000 unit to provide space for the "sense training" program. Special equipment will provide facilities for training in co-ordination of muscles with hearing and optical senses.

Two buildings are completed and two more dormitories will be finished this fall in an important new development of the Division of Mental Health, the Deerhome Institution for adult mental defectives. This institution will eventually provide accommodation for 1,200 persons who are at presently housed in the active treatment mental hospitals and at the training school. The first two dormitories are to be opened October 1st. In addition to the adult mental defectives who are now in mental hospitals, there are many aging mental defectives living in their own communities. Some of these are living with parents or other members of families who are unable to give them care and protection. The Deerhome development will provide accommodation for them.

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parents. Fine speakers were: Rev. Miller, Rev. Roberts, Inspector Bliss, Trustee G. Berdahl, Principal Jack Appleyard and H.S.A. Pres. Mrs. Gieck. The evening closed in the usual manner. Next meeting is Oct. 3rd. Please note.

Hail damage has been reported in the Grainger district as a result of Tuesday's storm. Harvesting is being slowed by shower activity but is making progress.

HAIL SUPPRESSION REPORT

A study of the storm conditions on Sunday Aug. 11th indicate it to be one of the most severe on record. An unusual feature in the storm itself was largely masked from ground view by scud and mist in a steady flow of stable air from the east extending up the first five thousand feet. Clear unstable air then extended to the base of the cloud which the weather bureau reports mounted five miles deep above this table. Mr. Louis Grant, Company Chief of Research on Hail Suppression, who has been studying the project for the past two weeks stated their static metre used as a guide to storm intensity, hit the top and stayed there for four solid hours, the most severe condition they have ever recorded anywhere.

Hail has been reported over areas within the project over a five hour period. Light damage was reported in Calgary around 11 a.m. tracing spotty to east of Airdrie and also touching down for some damage at Linden around 12 and then outside the project scattered damage through the Trochu area. Damage occurred at Chestermere Lake around 1 p.m. extending to the border in diminishing intensity. At 2:30 p.m. hail struck at Grand Forks district and cut a swath some two miles wide across Orkney doing scattered damage in spots. Later hail developed in the Rockyford district and swept over the corner of the project east from Hesketh at about 4:30 p.m.

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would have been particularly useful as the flow of stable air along the ground would hinder the effectiveness of ground generators. Application was made July 2 for a license to use the plane generators and this was finally granted by the Department of Transport Aug. 12

This generator has been recently developed by the Australian Division of the Commonwealth Industrial & Scientific Research Group under Dr. Bowen. It is designed so the operator can control silver iodide output instantly within a range of from 40 to 80 times the volume of a ground generator. It is considered to be the first generator developed with sufficient capacity to make supplementary cloud seeding by aircraft really effective.

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... the plant food your crop uses most for bigger, better yields in 1958!

Your crops use more Nitrogen than any other plant food — 40 bushels of wheat take 47 lbs. of Nitrogen from your soil, two tons of broom hay take 60 lbs. away. Without Nitrogen, your crops would starve!

Spread Elephant Brand High Nitrogen Fertilizers* on your stubble or pasture now! Next Spring, even before you can get on your land, fertilized grasslands are growing... Nitrogen is decomposing crop residue on stubble land, providing more valuable plant food.



Here are three ways of applying Elephant Brand High Nitrogen Fertilizer: (1) with a Universal Fertilizer attachment, by removing the bottom ends of the attachment hoses from the top of the grain ribbon tubes (2) with a worn-out grain drill with the furrow openers removed (3) with a regular broadcast spreader.

FOR GRASSLANDS

Nitrogen applied in the Fall means more money for you... you can put twice as many head on every acre, get them on the land from 3 to 4 weeks sooner and keep them there longer.

Elephant Brand High Nitrogen Fertilizers* produce more better tasting forage, richer in essential proteins and minerals - you'll see the difference in fatter steers and heifers, and more milk production.

FOR STUBBLE

Nitrogen on stubble speeds up decomposition of valuable crop residues. In Spring plant food from both the crop residue and the Nitrogen fertilizer is available to the new crop. The young plants benefit immediately from the readily available food in Elephant Brand High Nitrogen Fertilizers*

Contact your Elephant Brand agent today.



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FERTILIZERS

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| NITRAPRILLS Ammonium Nitrate - 33.5% Nitrogen AMMONIUM SULPHATE 21% Nitrogen | AMMONIUM NITRATE-PHOSPHATE 27% Nitrogen ANHYDROUS AMMONIA NH ₃ - 82% Nitrogen |
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